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RESOLUTION No. _____**

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Whereas, James Pendleton was born April 6, 1922;

Whereas, At 20 years of age, James Pendleton was inducted into the United States Army;

Whereas, As a member of the 119th Infantry, 30th Infantry Division, 3rd Battalion, Headquarters Company, James Pendleton rose to the rank of corporal and fought at the Battle of the Bulge;

Whereas, On December 16, 1944, the German army launched a counteroffensive to D-Day that was intended to turn the tide of the war in Hitler's favor;

Whereas, The battle is known as The Battle of the Bulge;

Whereas, The battles were fierce, and the courage and fortitude of the American soldier were tested against great adversity;

Whereas, Nevertheless, the response of Corporal Pendleton and his fellow soldiers turned the tide and resulted in the victory of freedom over tyranny;

Whereas, Corporal Pendleton was wounded December 19, 1944, and discharged October 16, 1946;

Whereas, Corporal Pendleton was awarded the Silver Star,



*Bronze Star, Purple Heart, and Expert Marksman medals;
and*

*Whereas, It is through the bravery and courage of soldiers
like Corporal James Pendleton that America and the world
remain free: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly acknowledges the
- 2 sacrifices made by James Pendleton for his country and thanks him for
- 3 all he has done to keep us free.
- 4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 5 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to James Pendleton
- 6 and his family.

